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11. (AMENDED) The method of claim 10 wherein said dose producing said optimal response is administered monthly.

12. (AMENDED) The method of claim wherein bioavailability data are obtained.

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17. (AMENDED) The method of claim 16 wherein bioavailability data for said individual are determined before administering said maintenance dose.

Please add the following claim:

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19. (NEW) The method of claim 12 wherein said bioavailability data are used to calculate said maintenance dose.